(By cable to the Dispatch.) LONDON, April 23.—The St editorial, says: "Engineet fear that war with Rus hem with other Powers. It feated England an awful mo-Therefore we may confidently assume that Prince Bismarck is not averse to a war between England and Russia, because he wants Russia weakened. We may dismiss all misgivings that Germany or her allies will oppose England; and France, for well-known reasons, and France, for well-known reasons, will be a quiet spectator. The symphology of the possibly indirect assistance—of Italy to England is assured. It will be our own fault if Turkey throws difficulty in our way. Wise, bold action will secure both Turkey and Persia. The Czar must ponder upon these

things."
The Times editorially says: "The position of the Afghan question remains precisely the same as on the day of the receipt of the news of the battle at Penjdeh. The only thing clear is the necessity of hurrying preparations for war and of active diplomacy to secure

BUSSIA CALM AND SELF-RELIANT. St. Petersburg, April 23.—Every one is speaking of war as inevitable. The question is narrowing more and more to a purely military dispute. The Journal De St. Petersbourg, in a

review of Sir Peter Lomsden's report to Mr. Gladstone upon the affair be-tween the Russian and Afghan troops at Penjdeh, says that the report based upon statements from Af-ghan sources, and if it contradicts precise and complete report nander of the Russian forces operating upon the border of Afghanistan Gladstone need not be surprised if Russia prefers to rely upon the testimony of her generals. is useless to pursue these polemics on subsidiary pints when the main question settled is the delimitation f the boundary between Bussis and England is free to bestir herself. Russia remains calm, conscious of the gravity of the situation, and confident of her ability to cope with the emergency. Russia will be happy to see realized Earl Granville's wish that all existing differences between England and Russia shall be settled peacefully. WHAT MR. GLADSTONE SAYS.

LONDON, April 23 .- In the House of Commons to-day Mr. Gladstone, in reply to an inquiry made by Sir Staf-ford Northcote, said that there was no intention of laying further papers touching the Afghan situation upon the table before asking for a vote upon the war credits already submitted to the House. The Government, Mr. Gladstone continued, were engaged in a correspondence of extreme gravity with Russia. It was impossible to make now a com plete statement of the nature of that correspondence, while no partial statement could be given without the greatest risk of creating misapprehens

NORTH CAROLINA.

Pensioning Confederate Soldiers-Convict Labor.

[Special telegram to the Dispatch.] RALEIGH, N. C., April 28.—All preparations have been completed for the payment of pensions to Confederate soldiers who while in the service were disabled or by reason of wounds have since become so. Widows of soldiers receive the same pension. It is now thought there will be about 1,500 pensioners on the rolls.

To-day the Board of Directors of the State Penitentiary assigned to the Cape-Fear and Yadkin-Valley railroad one hundred convicts in addition to the number previously assigned. Fifty convicts additional were assigned to work in the swamp lands in the eastern part of the State.

To-day Governor Scales and the presi-

dent of the Board of Directors of the Penitentiary officially visited and inspected the State farm near this city. This large farm is operated by convicts, and proves a financial success.

A Prisoner Rossied Alive.
[Special telegram to the Dispatch.] RALKIGH, N. C., April 23 .- Last night the jail at Winton, Hertford county, was set on fire by two prisoners confined therein and entirely destroyed despite the efforts of the citizons of the place to save it. The building was an old one and contained three who set the jail on fire were rescued, ed alive. The sight was a horrible one, and the people of Winton were greatly third attempt to burn the jail.

PITTSEUBOH, April 23-2:30 A. M. A fire at Sharpsburg, Pa., started in street, shortly before 1 o'clock and quickly communicated to the adjoining buildings on both sides.

The Alleghany Fire Department was sent for and did good service, and finally got the fire under control. One entire block of buildings has been consumed. The entire loss foots up \$60,000; insurance, \$18,000. The fire is believed to have been incendiary.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]
GALVESTON, April 23.—A special to the News from Mexia, Texas, says that the Prairie-Grove neighborhood, eight miles south of Mexia, was visited about 2 o'clock yesterday by a severe cyclone, causing serious damage to life and pro-perty. A two-story school-bouse, in which were about fifty children, was blown down and torn to pieces, killing one child and wounding several others. teen-year-old daughter of J. P. Swing, killed; Estelle Cook, leg broken; two children of E. Herring, leg broken; two children of Mr. O'Hara, leg broken

and injured internally.

The house of S. McKinnon was blown down, seriously injuring the inmates. The storehouse and post-office, owned by S. D. Hughes, was demolished, and the goods promiscuously scattered. The residences of M. B. Cox, H. Thompson, and T. J. Williams were demolished. Larkin Gentry's house, some distance from the village, is also reported as demolished, and himself, wife, and child killed. Other casualties

[lly telegraph to the Dispatch.] MEMPHIS, April 23.—Martin Mitch-Blackfish Lake, Ark., twenty miles west of Memphis, came here late last night and reported that he had shot and killed three men yesterday in St. Francis county, about twenty-five unites west of blackfish Lake. About two

with a Winchester repeating nins was shot three times nen, Barton was shot throu and the third man throu up to the sheriff of St. Francis cour who was here attending the races.

THE KANSAS FLOODS. Particulars of the Disaste

Sr. Louis, April 23.—Dispate from Southeastern Kansas report the heaviest rainfall that has ever been knewn in that part of the State. The storm began on Tuesday, and over twelve inches of water are said to have fallen. All the level country is sub-merged. Traffic on the Missouri, Kan-sas and Texas railroad for many miles each way from Parsons is suspended, and the passenger train which left Par-sons yesterday on the Fort Scott and Gulf road was wrecked. Not far from town a large number of bogs and cattle in the stock-yards along Labette river, one mile from Parsons, have been drowned, and it is said that hundreds, perhaps thousands, of animals have perished in the surrounding country. Great destruction of crops and movable property has also occurred. The Mar-

marton river has overflowed its banks and inundated a settlement of from six to eight hundred inhabitants known as North Fort Scott.
The water in the houses is from three
to five feet deep. All the people were
rescued. The Missouri Pacific railroad
track is badly washed out both ways from Fort Scott, and no trains have moved since Tuesday. There are also bad washouts on the Wichita road. A freight train on this road went through a bridge at Clearwater and Frank McDaniels, the engineer, was drowned. At last accounts the water was subsiding, but it will take several days to run off. Advices from Kingman confirm the previous reports of the flood there. Ten lives are reported to have been lost at that place. Traffic on the Wichita and Western railroad between Wichita and Kingman is suspended, and bridges on this road, and on the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railroad at Cheney Bell plain and Clearwater have been washed

THE PRINCE IN BELFAST.

The Royal Couple Received with the Wildest

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[By cable to the Dispatch.]

BELFAST, April 23.—The Prince and Princess of Wales arrived here at 3 o'clock this afternoon. They were met at the station by an immense assemblage of citizens and received by the mayor. The mayor and municipal escort conducted the royal visitors through the densely-packed streets to Ulster Hall, and all along the way the scene was of the wildest enthusiasm. So demonstrative were the people that it was as much as the police could do to keep the way open for the progress of the royal car-riage. At Ulster Hall the various pub-lic bodies of Belfast presented addresses of welcome. The Prince made personal replies to the different addresses.

At Porterdown and Dundalk, on their way here, the Prince and Princess received ovations at all the railway staions along the route. Demonstrations of loyalty were made at most of the stations. Buildings were decorated with orange colors and banners. At every deot where the train stopped long enough to permit it addresses of welcome were presented. Along the whole route dwellings, public buildings, and farm structures bore banners, flags, wreaths, decorations, and inscriptions expressive stances thousands of persons followed the train after it left the stations until it got under strong headway, cheering the royal couple and bidding them God-

(By telegraph to the Dispatch 1 WASHINGTON, April 23 .- Beginning May 2d next a semi-weekly mail service will be established between Kev West and Havana, Cuba. The service will be furnished by the Tampa Steam-

ship Company.
Joseph H. McCammon, Assistant Attorney-General for the Interior Department, resigned yesterday, to take effect on the 24th proximo. He was appointed from Pennsylvania in October, 1871, as special counsel for the Government before the Court of Claims, prisoners, one of whom had nothing to and remained in this position until May, do with the burning. The two men 1880, when, at the request of Attorney-General Devens and Secretary while the unfortunate man who had Schurz, President Haves appointed him nothing to do with the affair was roast- an assistant attorney-general, and he was immediately detailed as law-adviser of the Interior Department. Mr. Mcexcited by the occurrence. All the prisoners were colored. It was the business. It is understood that he will

practice law in Washington. General Grant's Condition.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] NEW YORK, April 23.—The temperature in General Grant's room last the saloen of Thomas Murphy, Tenth | night was so high that he did not sleep continuously through the night. His rest was broken, but the entire time of sleep was about six hours, the same as Tuesday. The General would have arisen and dressed at 7 o'clock this morning, but Dr. Douglas advised him

General Grant took a drive to-day. accompanied by several members of his He was absent from the house nearly an hour. During this time he was weighed and found his weight to be 141 pounds against 162 pounds three

Improving the Service.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

WASHINGTON, April 22.—The President to-day appointed to be col-lectors of internal revenue Samuel R. Cooper, for the First district of Texas, and Frank J. Pratt, for the Tenth district of Massachusetts. Both appointments removal of the incumbents. Sinclair, of Texas, who is succeeded by Cooper, has held the office since 1873, and Tinker of Massachusetts, who is succeeded by Pratt, has held it since 1862. The Commissioner of Internal Revenue says of these appointments that they were made in the interests of reform and with a view to improving the service.

Two Ballots Yesterday.

[Ry telegraph to the Dispatch.]

SPRINGFIELD, IZL., April 23.—In joint assembly to-day 45 senators and 135 representatives answered to roll-call, 100 being Republicans, whose en-tire vote was cast for Logan. On the second call the vote was the same, and the assembly adjourned.

Abakspearens Festival.
(By cube to the Dispatch.)

LONDON, April 23.—The 325th anniversary of the birth of Shakspeare is being celebrated with much ceremony and festival to-day in Stratford-on-Avon.

ANOTHER DYNAMITE SCARE BIG EXPLOSION IN LONDON.

LONDON, April 23-11:30 A. M.

London, April 23—11:30 A. M.—Great excitement was caused in the Admiralty office in Whitehall at 11 o'clock this forenoon by an explosion in a room in the basement of that building. Firemen and police were promptly summoned, and all the gates of the Admiralty building were closed and special guard was at once posted. No person was allowed to enter or depart from the premises until a thorough examination could be made.

The arrhogion occurred in the secre-

amination could be made.

The explosion occurred in the secretary's department. It badly damaged the room and set it on fire. The officials and firemen soon extinguished the flames. The adjacent corridors were also very much damaged, while all the windows fronting on the Horse Guards parade were blown out. The walls and the seriogical parts of the building are other principal parts of the building are

Mr. Edwin N. Swainson, assistant sec-retary and principal clerk, received a severe scalp wound, producing concus-sion of the brain, but it is thought he sion of the brain, but it is thought he will recover. It is said that other officials were also injured, but none so se

riously as Mr. Swainson.

The Calmet Ministers were immediately infermed by telegraph of the explosion, and were furnished with all the facts connected therewith that were as-certained at the time. A special mes-senger was dispatched to the Home Of-fice and Sir William Vernon Harcourt. Home Secretary, was thus notified of the affair. Mr. William Froston Caine, M. P., Civil Lord of Admiralty, was summoned by telegraph, and he shortly afterwards arrived at the scene.

Sir William Vernon Harcourt and Colonel Majendee, Chief Inspector of Explosives, made a careful and personal examination of the wreck. It was supposed at first that the explosion was caused by the premature discharge of a projectile which had been sent to the Admiralty for examination, but it is now regarded as certain that it was caused by dynamite. At 2 P. M. no arrests had been made and no clue to the perpetrators of the outrage had been RELIEVED TO HAVE REEN THE RE-

SULT OF PRIVATE MALICE.

6 P. M.—A strong suspicion now pre-vails in police and official circles that the explosion at the Admiralty office was the result of private malice, as that an infernal machine was placed in a book-case just over the spot where Swainson's head would be, sitting at his desk. The detectives are positive that the outrage was the work of an employe, as no stranger could pass the aniter without some document showing that he had business with some of the heads of the department, and the anitor says no stranger, to his knowedge, has passed him during the past twenty-four hours. Swainson's injuries are severe, but consist principally of cuts and bruises. He has recovered onsciouspess, and no doubt will soon be well. No other person was injured. Swainson's room was thoroughly

ENGLAND'S NEW CRUISER. Plans of the "Protected" Mersey and What is Expected of Her.

[Pall-Mall Gazette.]

miral Sir A. Cooper Key, Lord Com-missioner of the Admiralty, will perform the ceremony of christening and launching the new fast twin-screw "protected" corvette Mersey, one of the first of the new cruiver class of war vessels built in a Government yard. So far as the details of the internal fitpresent incomplete condition, impossi-ble to speak, but of the main struccharacteristics of the vessel the following description will suffice to convey a general idea of the lines upon which she has been built : Following somewhat closely the water-tight-hull principle of Admiral Sir G. Sartorius's Polyphemus, the hull of the Mersey is hexagonal in shape, formed of steel, the horizontal plates being two inches in thickness, and on the four slopes three inches, the latter being further protected on all four slopes by ample coal spaces," or bunkers, which serve the puble purposes of fuel stores and extra armor-plating. Within this strongly "protected" hull are placed all the vital, attributes of the ship-namely, engines, boilers, magazines, and steering apparatus. In the event of the whole of the upper or superstructure decks being demolished by an enemy's fire the dismantled vessel could be kept under way, and under ordinary favorable circumstances run into port. Or the upper deck is a nine-inch armor steel-faced conning tower; the bul-warks are higher than usual, and of half-inch plate; the "bays" between the gun stations are especially adapted to afford shelter to the gunners, and by the stowage of hammocks, sails, and spare geer in the "bays" additional protection against shell is secured. The capstans are so constructed as to be worked either by steam or manual power. The after part of this deck is apportioned to the officers' cabins, and right aft is a six-inch breech-loading stern-chaser capable of being employed on each broadside and of sweeping the to remain at ease yet an hour more. on each broadside and of sweeping the The General did so, and between 7 and keel line. On the main deck are cap-8:30 gained nearly an hour of sleep. He then arose refreshed and in no wise worse, if not better, than yesterday.

gine-room openings on this dock.

For a vessel of this class the armament of the Mersey may not, to the HANDSOME ALL-WOOL SUITS mind of a practical artillerist, be deemed as in any degree superfluous; considerable modifications will, how-ever, in all probability be made be-fore the ship is sent to sea. The following is a statement of her armament : Two 8-inch and ten 6-inch breech-loadgun; one 7-pounder gun; six 1-inch Nordenfeldt and two .45-inch Gardner machine-guns on the upper deck. The principal dimensions of the vessel, according to the official measurements, are: Length between the perpendiculars, 300 feet; breadth, extreme, 46 feet; draught of water forward, 16 feet; aft, 19 feet 6 inches; mean, 17 feet 9 inches. The load displacement is esti-mated at 3,600 tons. The engines mated at 3,600 tons. The engines are in two sets, one on each side of the ship, and are of the horizontal compound order of 6,000 indicated horse-power, and will be supplied by Messrs. Humphrey & Tennent, the well-known marine engine-makers. There are two propellers, computed so be able to maintain a speed of 17½ knots per hour. The authorized complement of coals is 500 tons, and accormolation has been provided for 300 officers and men.

A Heavy Seew Storm in Colorade.
[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]
DENVER, Col., April 23.—Th

eviest snow-storm ever known in thi o'clock last night and lasted until 6 o'clock this evening. Fally twenty inches of snow fell, as much as the aggregate of the previous falls of the whole winter. The snow was very beavy. A number of roofs have fallen in, but without fatal results so far as reported. The atorm was general throughout the State, but railroad trains are moving nearly on time. The storm was of incalculable benefit to the cattle

A Temperate Mystery.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

St. Louis, April 23.—A Chattanooga (Tenn.) special to the Post-Dispatch says: A shocking discovery was made last night near Spring City, Teun. The putrifying remains of James Sloan were found in the woods near the house of his uncle, one of the leading men of that section. Sloan had been for a long time, and his body had evidently been in the woods four weeks. The remains were shockingly mutilated by some beast. A note was found on his person saying he had killed himself, but it is thought this is a blind, and it is suspected he was murdered.

AUGUSTA, GA., April 23 .- Irregu larities have been discovered in the ac-counts of the Georgia Chemical Works of this city. The books are now in the hands of experts, and until the inrestigation is completed the officers can make no statement to the public. The defalcation was made by John L. Stovall, book-keeper of the company. It does not diminish the surplus or impair the credit of the company. The ma-

Newspapers Scient in Vienna.
[By cable to the Dispatch.]
VIENNA, April 23.—The Governent to-day seized an entire edition of the Fremdenblatt and four other newspapers for printing the text of a manifesto issued by the "United Left," or Swainson was greatly disliked by a number of persons, including several employes of the office. It is certain sent Taafe Ministry. The publishers of the five papers at once issued later editions, in which the entire space oc cupied by the manifesto was left blank

Have Made it Cp.

LONDON, April 23 .- It was po tively rumored in the lobbies of the House of Lords this evening that the English and French Governments had effected an adjustment of the Bosphore-Egyptien dispute.

Cholera at Cairo.

[By sable to the Dispatch.]
LONDON, April 23.—It is stated that cholera has reappeared at Cairo, and that seven deaths from the disease have occurred there.

MACON, GA., April 23 .- In the tenmile bicycle race this afternoon be-tween W. J. Morgan (champion of Canada) and J. H. Palhill (champion At Chatham Lady Key, wife of Ad- of Georgia) Morgan won easily in 31 minutes 40 seconds.

PETERSBURG, VA., April 24 .- Hen rietta Ramsey, who was arrested Richmond city 8's charged with murdering her husband, Richmond city 6's ...... Thomas Ramsey, at Seaboard, South- Richmond city 5's ..... has been discharged from custody, she having proved that the deceased acci-dentally shot himself during a scuttle that followed a quarrel between them.

Sominations in Lynchburg.

[Special telegram to the Dispatch.] LYNCHBURG, VA., April 23 .- At the Democratic primary held here to-day an immense vote was polled. A. H. Burroughs was nominated for Commenwealth's attorney, V. G. Dunnington for treasurer, and L. C. Talbot for high constable. A full Council ticket was nominated also.

LATE WEATHER REPORT. [Special telegram to the Dispatch.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 24 .-1:10 A. M .- For the Middle Atlantic States, fair weather, and generally warmer during the day, followed by on Saturday, southerly winds shifting towest and northwest, falling followed by rising barometer by Saturday morning, with local rains.

For the South Atlantic States, fair

weather, elight changes in temperature, winds becoming variable. For Richmond and vicinity, warmer, fair weather.

The Weather in Richmond Yesterday was clear and warm. Range of Bermometer Yesterday.

Midnight.

FOR \$10.

ing guns; one 9-pounder boat and field TAILOR-MADE AND CUSTOM-LIKE AS-SORTMENT OF MEN'S AND YOUNG guns, in addition to which Whitehead torpedoes will be carried
for discharging above and below
water on each broadside. The semicircular protuberations on the vessel's

TO SHOW THESE REALLY EXCELside—two on each side—are steel LENT SUITS TO GENTLEMEN WHO "loading stations" for working the machine-guns on the upper deck. The WOULD NOT OBJECT TO DRESS DE-

> A. SAKS & CO. 1018 MAIN STREET.

BOOK AND JOB WORK

UNANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

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NEW YORK, April 23.-The sto either the European war news nor the ports from the West regarding railreports from the West regarding railroad troubles was important. Prices
opened generally a fraction off, but the
decline was soon checked by the distribution of supporting orders, and
throughout the remainder of the day
the fluctuations were confined within
extremely narrow limits until near the
close, when there was a slight raily,
the market, however, finally closing
somewhat feverish and drooping at
quotations which, in the majority of
cases, show chappes of only tal, as cases, show changes of only tat, as compared with last evening. Northern Pacific, Pacific Mail, and some of the very inactive stocks, however, made greater advances. All Gould stocks were strong, and grangers were firmly held. Coalers were extremely dull.

Sales, 150,000 shares. Noon.—Stocks strong and higher. Money, 1 per cent. Exchange—Long, 486; short, 488. Governments quiet.

States steady.

Evening.—Exchange, 486. Money,
lial per cent. Sub-Treasury balances— Gold, \$140,125; currency, \$22,995. Governments quiet ; 4 per cents, 122; 3 per cents, 102 bid. State bonds very quiet. Alabama-Class A, 2 to 5 ........ 87

9	B, 5's, sm'll	
3	Georgia 6's	1014
3	Georgia 7's, mortgage	104
Я	North Carolina's	30
1	North Carelina's, new	18
3	North Carolina funding	10
i	South Carolina Brown con	107
1	Tennessee 6's	473
ij	Virginia 6's	39
1	Virginia consols	50
8	Chesapeake and Ohio	3;
3	Chicago and Northwestern	95
H	Chicago and Northwestern p'fd	130
8	Denver and Rio Grande	6
3	Ene East Tennessee Railroad	12
8	East Tennessee Railroad	3
9	Lake Shore	59
8	Louisville and Nashville	31
	Memphis and Charleston	38
1	Mobile and Ohio,	6
9	Nashville and Chattanooga	37
	New Orleans Pacific 1st mort	55
	New York Central	89
1	Norfolk and Western pref	18
	Northern Pacific	17
	Northern Pacific pref	39
	Pacific Mail,	55
3	Reading	15
	Richmond and Alleghany	1
	Richmond and Danville.	48
	Rich, and West Point Terminal	21
	Rock Island.	113
	St. Paul	70
	St. Paul preferred	
	Texas Pacific	
	Union Pacific.	
	Wabash Pacific.	
	Wabash Pacific preferred	
	Western Union	

· BALTIMORE.

BALTIMORE, April 23 .- Virginia 6's, consols, 484; past-due coupons, 50; new 10-40's, 33; new 3's, 494. Bid to-day.

RICHMOND STOCK EXCHANGE. THURSDAY, April 23, 1885.

SALES .- 1,000 Virginia new 3's at 50, 1,000 do. at 50, 500 do. at 50; 1,000 Western North Carolina 7's at 109: 10 shares Petersburg Railroad

at 28%.		
STATE SECURITIES.	Bid.	Asked.
Virginia 10-40's	37	38
Virginia consols	47	51
Virginia peelers	32	***
Virginia new 3's	493	501
Va. con. tax-rec. coup., '82.	52	53
Va. con, tax-rec. coup., '83.	42]	
North Carolina 4's	86	87
North Carolina 6's	1084	1091
CITY PONDS.		

.114 115 .106 Petersburg city 8's ...... Norfolk City 6's .... RAILROAD BONDS.

Va. and Tenn. 3d mort. 8's. 124 Col. & Greenville 1st 6's .. 96 Col. & Green. 2d 6's ...... Va. Midland income 6's .... Piedmont R. R. 1st 8's ..... 105 Petersburg Class A, 5's ..... 951 R. and D. con. 6's, 1885....1021 R. and D. con. 6's, 1890 .... 105 ...100 R. and D. gold 6's...... 100 R. and Alle. 1st mort. 7's. 53 Atlanta and Charlotte 7's., 111 A. and C. inc. 6's, ex ..... C., C. & A. 2d mort. 7's, ex. 914 Western N. Carolina 7's ... 109 Western N. Carolina 6's .... 75} Georgia Pacific 1st 6's...... RAILROAD STOCES. Par. R., F. & P. common .... 100 66 R., F. & P. div. scrip ... 100 46

Col. & Greenville pref.. 100 15 Seaboard & R. guar .... 100 125 Atlanta & Charlotte .... 100 . 67 

BANES. Merchants National, 100 112 Union Bank of Rich'd. 50 65 Pet'b'g Sav. and In. Co. 20 INSURANCE CO'S. Va. Fire and Marine.... 25 34; Virginia State..... 25 33

RICHMOND MARKETS. THURSDAY, April 23, 1885. COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Butter, Eggs, Fowlz, Lard, Corn Meal. Butter: Choice fresh, 23a25c., active; good to prime, 18a20c.; poor to fair, 13alfic.; cooking, 10al2c. Dressed Hogs: Small, 63a7c.; large,

54a6c. per pound. Eggs: Fresh, 124a13c., weak. Live Fowls: Hens, large, 35a38c. cocks and small hens, 30a33c. Lard: Country, 8ja9c. Corn Meal: 55a57c. per bushel for ountry; 60c. for city mills.

Vegetables. Cabbage: Georgia and Florida new. \$3a\$3.50 per barrel. Cymblings : 50a60c. per dozen.

Tomatoes : Florida, 83a85 per box. Potatoes: Irish choice potatoes, \$2 per barrel; choice per bushel 65c. active. Onions: \$4 per barrel. Navy Beans: \$1.60a81.75 per bushel; other grades, \$1.25a\$1.50. Black-Eye Peas: \$1.60a\$1.70 per

Peeled, 9a10c.; unpeeled, 5c. Raspberries: 20a22c.

Muscellaneous.

Green and Dried Fruits. Apples: Choice eating, \$3a\$3.50 per barrel; cooking, \$2s\$3 per barrel. bried Fruits: Apples—Bright-sliced, 3ac.; fair to good, 24a3c. Bl., kber-ries, 7a74c.; cherries, 10c. Peaches—

2,240 pounds; black oak and chestnut, rough, 89 per 3,000 pounds. Feathers : Prime live-goose, 50a52c.;

ton; bran, \$20a\$21 per t \$21a23 per ton for city m Baled Oats : Nominal.

Roots: Ginseng, \$1.50a\$1.60 pe pound; Seneca, free of tops, 40a45c per pound.
Peanuts: 3a4c., as to quality, and

Sumac: Prime, \$1. Shucks: 70a75c. Baled Straw: 35a40c. Tallow: 6a7c. per pound. Wool: Washed, 27a28c.; unwashed, 20c.; burry wool will bring from 3 to 5c. per pound less than the above rates. CEMENT, LIME, PLASTER, &C.

Rye: 60a65c. per bushel.

Cement: Rosendale, \$1.40a\$1.45 per barrel; James River, \$1.40a\$1.45. Lime: Agricultural, 8a10c, per bush-el; Bockland, \$1.10a1.20 per barrel, according to quantity; Virginia, \$1a1.10.

Plaster: Lump, \$4 per ton; ground, \$7.50; calcined plaster, \$1.75.

Tar: Large size, \$3.50.

DRUGS, DYESTUFFS, OILS, &C. Alum : 4c. Alcohol: \$2.50 per gallen. Concentrated Lye: \$2.75a\$3.50 per case of four dozen. Copperas : 2c. Cochineal: 50c. per pound. Extract of Logwood: 16c.

Indigo: 80a90c. Madder: 14c. WHEAT Bid.
No. 2 Red. May delivery. 101
No. 2 Red, July delivery. ... Oils: Linseed, 60c.; machine, 25a 75c.; sperm, \$1.50.; whale, 75c.; straits, 45a50c.; Labrador-cod oil, 50a 60c.; lard, 75a85c.; sweet, \$6 per No. 2 White, May delivery. 604 No. 2 White, June delivery. 601 No. 2 Mixed, April delivery. 571 dozen; best salad, \$8.50; castor, \$1.60 per gallon; Virginia lubricating, 15a 40c.; kerosene, 9c., cash per gallon. No. 2 Mixed, May delivery. 571 No. 2 Mixed, June delivery. 57

Race Ginger; 124c. Soda: Sal., 14a2c., in kegs; English soda, 5c. ; American, 34a4c. No. 2 Mixed, May delivery.. 40 Spirits Turpentine, 45c. SECOND CALL-2:30 P. M. DRY GOODS

Prints: Merrimack, 54c.; Merrimack No. 2 Red, May delivery ... 100 Shirtia:, 5c.; Richmond, 54c.; South Bridge 54c.; Pacific, 6c.; Dunnel's, No. 2 White, April delivery. 611 5 jc.; ...llen's, 5 jc.; Manchester, 5 jc.; Washington, 5 jc.; Mallory Pink, 6 jc.; Mallery Purple, 64c.; Simpson Mourn-No. 2 White, May delivery, ing, 6c.; Simpson Gray, 6c.; Simpson Black, 6c.; Harmony, 5c.; Ashland 1,000 bushels sold at 60 to No. 2 White, May delivery Solid, 54c.
Bleached Shirtings and Sheetings:

7-8 Security, 5c.; 7-8 Jack Horner, 5jc.; 7-8 Edward Harris, 6jc.; 4-4 Fairmont, 6jc.; 4-4 Pelham Q. 6jc.; 1,000 bushels sold at 60 je No. 2 White, May delivery, 4-4 Gladiator, Sc.; 4-4 Barker, Sc.; 4-4 Farewell, 9c.; 4-4 Wauregan, 10c.; 10-4 Monadnock, 221c.; 10-4 Pequot, No. 2 Mixed, June delivery.

Brown Cottons: Manchester & A., 44c.; Manchester 4-4 A. A., 5c.; Rockbridge 4-4 R. R., 6c.; James River No. 2 Mixed, May delivery. 40 § O. O., 4 c.; James River H. H., 5 c.; James River D. D., 6 c. POREIGN PRUITS AND CANDY.

Candy: 10alle, per pound, as to quality. Lemons: Messinia, \$2.50a\$3 per box, Oranges: Florida, \$3.50a\$4.50 per box, choice; other grades, \$2a\$2.50 in good demand; Messina, in cases, \$5.50 a \$7 : Jamaica, in barrels, \$5a\$7.

GROCERIES, &C. Bacon: Clear-ribsides, 8a8 c.; shoulders, 7c.; Virginia shoulders, 9c.; Virginia hams, fancy, 16al7c.; sugarcured. 11ja11jc.; bulk-sides, 7ja7jc.;

ulk shoulders, 54a54c.
Buckets: Painted, two hoops, \$1.25 a\$1.75; three hoops, \$1.50a\$2. Brooms: Two strings, \$1a\$1.50; three strings, \$1.50; four strings, \$2

Baskets: Willow, \$1.15a\$1.30 per nest; split, 65a'90c. per dozen. Coffee: Rio, common, 10a194c.; fair to prime, 11a114c.; Laguayra, 11a 111c.; Java, 18a22c. 810s Candles: Adamantine candles, 114s \$16. 11&c.; per set, 14&c. per pound; half-

boxes, 111c.; tallow, 14c. Cheese: Northern and western prime cutting, 124a13c.; common, 9a114c.; English dairy, 18a20c.; pineapple, 25c. Fish: Herrings - North Carolina Gross-New, \$5; North Carolina cut, \$6.50a\$7; eastern, \$3.25a\$4. Mackerel-No. 1 Bay, half-barrels, \$15; No. 2, in and the barrels, \$18; No. 3 fat rimmed mack- Journal of Commerce. n kits, \$1.25; No. 3, small, \$3,50a84. Lard: Prime barrels and tierces. 8a 84c.; 20 and 50 pound tip cans, 84c. Matches: 60's, 75a85c. per pack; 200's \$2a\$2.50 gross: 300's, \$3.25a \$3.75; 500's, \$7.50a\$9 gross. sale, with prices about steady. Quoted at 4%a4%c. for best hand-picked, and Molasses: Common syrup - Hogs-beads, 13c.; tierces, 15c; barrels, 16c.; of Commerce.

genuine golden syrup, 25a30c. per galgon; New Orleans prime, 40a45c. Rice: Carolina, 61a7c. picked, 42a42c. per pound; extra hand-picked, 32c. per pound; other grades, 3a32c. per pound. Market dull. Salt: Liverpool, from store, \$1.35 Ground alum, from store, 85c, per

Sugar: Crushed, 74c.; powdered, 64c.; granulated, 64c.; A. 64c.; off A. 6c.; yellow, 54a6c.; cut-loaf, 74c. Soap: Common, 4a64c.; best washing, 74a8c.; toilet 15a20c., and fancy prices; country, 4a5c. rices; country, 4a5c.
Teas: Black, 25a50c.; imperial, 25a ited to small lots; holders' views as to 75c.; gunpowder, 35c.a81. prices are unchanged. For Scotch pig

Tubs : Cedar, \$1.75n\$5 a nest ; pine, \$2.25a82.50 a nest. HIDES, LEATHER, &C. Hides: Green, 4a5c.; wet salted, 7a 8c.; dry salted, 11a12c.; dry flint,

Leather: Rough leather, 20a25c.; city finish harness, 30a35c.; country finish harness, 25a30c.; light upper, city finish, 45a50c.; wax upper, 30a40c.; \$17a\$17.50. Wrought scrap at \$18.25a hemlock sole, 19a25c.; oak sole, 30a \$18.50.—Journal of Commerce. Tanner's Oil : Newfoundland cod,

50a55c. a gallon. IRON, STEEL, NAILS, &C. Iron: American refined, Old Dominion bar, \$1.90; English and American sheet, 34a54c. Swedes, hammered, 44a 5c.; hoop, 4a54c. Nails: Old Dominion, \$2.30 for stan-

Plough-Castings : Wholesale, 34c.; retail, 44c. per pound.

Rope: Manilla, best, 15c.; jute, 74a8c. LIQUORS, WINES, &C.

Ale: Scotch (best brands), pints, \$1.90a\$2 per dezen, gold. Brandies: Domestic, \$1.10a\$1.50; fruit, 90c.a\$1.25; apple, new, \$1.75a \$2; Southampton, \$2.25; Virginia peach, \$2.50a\$3. Rye Whiskeys: Medium, \$1.50a82: pure old, \$3a\$4; Virginia mountain, new, \$1.75a\$2; old, \$2a\$3 and up-

Gin: Domestic, \$1.10a81.50; imported, \$9.50a\$9.75 per case. New England Rum: \$1.50a\$1.65. Rectified Whiskeys: \$1a\$1.50.

LUMBER, STAVES, &C.

\$6.90; May, \$6.05a\$6.75. Sugar firmer: fair to good refining, 4;a4;c.; refined firm. Molasses firm; 50 test, 17;c. Rice steady. Cotton-seed oil, 23a35c. for crude, 39a4;c. for refined. Rosin dull. Turpentine firm at 32;a 33c. Hides firm. Wool quiet and easy. Pork steady and quiet; spot, \$13. Middles dull. Lard 3a6c. lower and dull; restern steam and \$7.17is Lumber: White oak, cut to order, \$17a\$22 per 1,000; on market, \$10a \$15 per 1,000; Western Virginia pop-lar, \$15a\$26 per 1,000; West Virginia and dull; western steam, spot, \$7.174a \$7.20; May, \$7.16a\$7.20. Freights lar, \$15a\$26 per 1.000; West Virginia white pine, \$15a\$35 per 1.000; yellow pine—rough boards, \$8a\$9; dry clear, \$12a\$15; joist, \$9a\$15, according to size and lengths. Shingles—Pine, \$1.75 a\$2.50; cypress, six-inch, \$5a\$7 per 1.000; saps, \$5a\$6. Laths—Split, \$1; sawed, \$1.75a\$2 per 1.000.

Staves: Whiskey-barrel timber, green, \$16a\$20 per 1.000; seasoned, \$20a\$25 per 1.000. Flour-barrel timber, \$4a\$7 per 1.000. Machine staves firm and quiet. Wheat—Southern steady and quiet; western lower, closing dull; southern red, \$1.04a\$1.06; amber, \$1.08a\$1.10; No. 1 Maryland, \$1.05bid; No. 2 western winter red, spot, 97\$a\$7\$e. Corn—Southern higher with active demand; western firmer and dull; southern white, \$9a\$1c.; yellow, \$7a\$8c. Outs higher; southern, 44a\$6c.; western white, \$7a\$8c.

Beeswax: 28c. per pound.

Black-Oak Bark: Rossed, \$13.50 per 2,240 pounds; black oak and chestnut, rough, \$9 per 3,000 pounds.

Feathers: Prime live-goose, 50a52c.; common, 25c.

Flaxseed: \$1.10a\$1.15 per bushel.

Hay: No. 1 timothy, \$19a\$20; No.

OFFERINGS.

SALES REPORTED TO SECRETARY,

CORN.-White, 200 bushels very

ON CALL-BOARD-FIRST CALL-

CORN.

OATS.

WHEAT.

No. 2 White, May delivery,

1.000 bushels sold at 601e

1,000 bushels sold at 60 kg

No. 2 White, June delivery,

Receipts continue light.

OATS.

1.000 bushels sold at 60%

No. 2 Mixed, May delivery. 57

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RICHMOND TOBACCO MARKET.

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PEANUT MARKETS

NEW YORK PEANUT MARKET.

APRIL 21 .- Peanuts have a moderate

NORFOLK PEANUT MARKET.

GENERAL MARKETS.

NEW YORK IRON MARKET.

APRIL 21 -For American pig de-

the market is slow and steady. Rails

are dull and nominal. The following

No. 1 at \$18; No. 2 at \$17; forge at

NEW YORK SUMAC MARKET.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK.

Corn—Spot firm and moderately active; ungraded, 53\(\frac{1}{2}\)a56\(\frac{1}{2}\)c.; No. 2, April, 55\(\frac{1}{2}\)c.; May, 55\(\frac{1}{2}\)a55\(\frac{1}{2}\)c. Oats—No. 2, April, 40\(\frac{1}{2}\)c. Coffee—Spot fair; Rio dull and weak; No. 7 Rio, spot, \(\frac{2}{2}\)6.90; May, \$6.65\(\frac{1}{2}\)80.75. Sugar firm—

BALTIMORE, April 23 .- Flow

are the quotations : American pig-

NORFOLK, April 23 .- Best hand-

RICHMOND, April 23, 1885.

Herd Grass: 75c.

ed, 150 bushels. OATS.—2,400 bushels.

ming, \$3.05. Shot: Northern, \$1.00 per bag of 25 ends. Grindstones: 14a2c. per pou Clover: \$4.75a\$5. Timothy: \$1.75a\$1.80. Orchard-Grass: \$1.35a\$1.40.

mixed, 37 ja35c.
mand at \$12. Lard casier; comand at \$12. Lard casier; comand add; a
ers. \$4.50; short rib. \$5.95e
quiet; shoulders, \$5.50; short
\$6.87\dagger; clear, \$7.37\dagger. Whiches at \$1.13. Sugar unchanged. firm; common and light, \$3.5000 packing and butches, \$4a\$4.50. GRAIN AND COTTON EXCHANGE. RICHMOND, April 23, 1885.

LOUISVILLE LOUISVILLE, April 23.—Grad WHEAT.—White, 24 bushels. Mix-ed, 254 bushels. Red, 2,286 bushels. CORN.—White, I,804 bushels. Mixnd active. Wheat-No. 2 Dern-No. 2 white, 53c. O Corn—No. 2 white, 53c. One—No. 3 mixed, 584c. 'Provisions steady as slow. Bacon—Clear rib, 96.80; sides, 97.25; shoulders, 85.25. Bulk-ments—Clear rib, 96.15; sides, 96.50; shoulders, 94.75.' Pork—Mess, 912.39. Lard—Choice leaf, 98.50. WHEAT.—White, 24 bushels good at \$1. Mixed, 224 bushels at \$1 to \$1.08. Red, 1,100 bushels prime Long-berry on private terms; 666 bushels very good Longberry at \$1.09 to \$1.10; 20 bushels fair Shortberry at 95c.

ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, April 23.—Flow slow and unchanged. Wheat opened firm and closed daje, under yesterday: Re. 2 red, cash and May, \$1.01201.02. Corn dull and lower; No. 2 mixed, cash, 444c.; May, 44244jc. Outs firm; cash, 36jc.; May, 35ja35jc. Whickey stendy at \$1.14. Provisions very slow and unchanged. Pork, 912. Belliments—Long clear, \$5.90; short rib, \$6; clear, \$6.20. Bacon irregular and lower; long clear, \$6.25a\$6.40; short rib, \$6.40a\$6.50; clear, \$6.60a\$6.70. Lard, \$6.80a\$6.85. CHICAGO. ST. LOUIS. good on private terms.
OATS.—Mixed, 600 bushels very good 11:30 A. M. Bid. Asked.

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CHICAGO, April 23.—Flour uschanged. Wheat quieter; closed 2c. under yesterday; April, 87 § 286 £c.; Unsy, 88 § 28 9 £c.; June, 90 § 29 § 6. Comprices show very little change; cash, 47c.; April, 46 § 24 7 £c.; May, 47 § 28 £c.; June, 47 § 24 § 6. Cats steady; No. 2 24 § 6. Mess-pork fairly active and 10a 15c. lower; cash, 211.70; May, 211.67 § 211.80; June, 811.75 a 211.90. Lard quiet and easier; cash and May, 46.90a \$6.92 §; June, 86.95 a 87. Boxed meata quiet; dry-salted shoulders, \$4.50a \$4.60; short ribs, 85.87 § a 85.90; clear, 86.25 a 86.30. Whiskey firm at \$1.15. REVIEW OF THE CHICAGO MAMKEY. REVIEW OF THE CHICAGO MARKET.

CHICAGO, April 23 .- The specula-

tive fever did not run so high to-day. Trading in all commodities was quieter than has been the rule previously for several weeks. This was due largely to the fact that the news from London and St. Petersburg was not in any sense satisfactory as indicating whether the Powers are determinedly bent on war or not. Opinions were flashed over the cables, but these were easily obtainable on this side of the water, so that operators paid very little attention to them. They are now waiting for actual results, and until an absolute turn of affairs is very clearly outlined The market shows some weakness in soft wrappers, but with few forced it is claimed speculation will hang fire, as the course of the markets is exsales. There is a small stock of fine cutters to select from, and medium grades sell slowly. Good bright fillers showed more life to-day, with some pected to hinge to a great extent upon the outcome of affairs abroad. In the mean time trading is pursued in a very conservative way. Foreign advices quoted a strong feeling in the London, Liverpool, and Paris good sales to home manufacturers. grain markets, and generally higher prices. British consols also ruled Dark Lugs: Common, \$5a\$5.50; medium to good, \$5.50a\$6; very good working, \$6a\$6.50; red and colory, lower, but there appeared to be considerable desire to realize, and a good deal of long wheat was offered. Bright Lugs : Common, \$7.50a88 was a gradual decline of lic. from opening prices, which was aided some-what by an advance in consols. Later medium to fair, \$8.50a\$10; good to very good, \$11a\$13; bright cutters, \$15a\$18; fine and fancy cutters, \$18a here was a better inquiry on rumors of large freight engagements, but the market sold off again, fluctuated, and Dark Leaf: Common, \$6.50a87.50; medium, \$7.50s89; good to very good, closed &c. under yesterday. The \$10a\$11.50; very good to fine, \$12a cipts of corn were little larger, but speculation lagged and prices Wrappers: Common, \$12a\$15; melittle :hange, May being weak and June dium, \$15a\$22.50; good bright, \$25a \$30; very good bright, \$32a\$40; fine to fancy, \$45a\$60. and July somewhat higher. Shipping inquiry was moderate, but trading was smaller than usual. Trading was quiet in oats, with no essential NEW YORK TOBACCO MARKET. change in prices. Provisions were APRIL 21 .- The market is without weaker. Mess-pork declined 10a15c., important change. Exporters are quiet

closing at the inside. MILWAUKEE. MILWAUKEE, April 23. - Flot steady. Wheat quiet and easy; No. 2 Milwaukee, cash, 86 c.; May, 87 c. Corn scarce and firm ; No. 2, 474c. Oats scarce; No. 2, 36c., delivered. Provisions lower. Mess-pork, cash or May, \$11.70. Lard—Prime steam,

cash or May, \$6.90. WILMINGTON. WILMINGTON, N. C., April 23.— Turpentine firm at 29c. Rosin quiet. strained, 90c.; good, 92åc. Tar firm at \$1.10. Crude turpentine steady; hard, \$1.10; yellow-dip and virgin, \$1.55.

NEW YORK COTTON FUTURES. NEW YORK, April 23.—Cotton—Net receipts, 23 bales; gross receipts, 33 bales. Futures closed steady; sales, 73,200 bales; April, \$10.80a\$10.82; May, \$10.80a\$10.81; June, \$10.91a \$10.92; July, \$11; August, \$11.06a \$11.07; September, \$10.80a\$10.81; October, \$10.42a\$10.43; November and December, \$10.25a\$10.26; January, #10.33a#10.34.

\$16. Scotch pig at \$19 for Glengar-nock, \$21a\$21.50 for Coltness, \$18 for NORFOLK, VA., April 23 .- Cotton Eglinton, and \$20 for Summerlee; \$20a \$20.25 for Gartscherrie. American steel dull; middling, 10 ic. Net receipts, 93 bales; gross receipts, 93 bales; stock, 5,317 bales; sales, 24 bales. rails at \$26a\$27 at mills; old rails at WILMINGTON, N. C., April 23.— Cotton steady; middling, 101c. Not receipts, 8 bales; gross receipts, 8 bales; sales, —.

SAVANNAH, GA., April 23.—Ostton quiet; middling, 104c. Net receipts, 560 bales; gross receipts, 560 bales; stock, 12,615 APRIL 21.—Sumac quoted at \$50a \$52.50 for Virginia, and \$82.50a\$87.50 for Sicily.—Journal of Commerce.

COTTON MARKETS.

bales.
AUGUSTA, GA., April 23.—Cotton very dull; middling, 10 jc. Beceipts, 122 bales; shipments, —; sales, 9 bales.
CHARLESTON, S. C., April 23.—Cotton nominal; middling, 10 jc. Res receipts, 17 bales; gross receipts, 17 bales; sales, — bales; stock, 8,168 bales. NEW YORK, April 23,—Cotton steadier; sales, 413 bales; uplands, 10½c.; Orleans, 11½c.; consolidated net receipts, 1,583 bales; exports-to Great Britain, 7,058 bales; to France, 344 bales; to the continent, 2,350 bales. bales. Southern flour steady. Wheat—Spot declined alic.; ungraded red, 75c.a \$1.01; No. 2 red, May, 99 c.a\$1.00.

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Steamer Ponser, Platt, Palladelphia,
merchandise and passengers. J. W. McCherick agent.
Steamer Ariel, Gifford, Rorbit, United
States mail, merchandise, and passengers.
L. E. Tatum, agent.
Schooner A. H. Leming, Matthews,
Georgetown, coal, Bright Rope Ballway
Company.
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Steamship Richmond, Boar, West Part of sailed for New York.
Steamship Florence (British), Gibs